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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Yoichiro Sako
Serial No. : 10/088,196
Filed : June 13, 2002
For : RECORDING MEDIUM, APPARATUS FOR REPRODUCING
DATA FROM A RECORDING MEDIUM, AND METHOD FOR
REPRODUCING DATA FROM A RECORDING MEDIUM
Group A.U. : 2652
Examiner : Peter Vincent Austin

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of June 9, 2005,
Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of
claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 8 of this Amendment.